PRESENT—*cont.*

Srinivasan, Rao Sahib R.
Statham, Mr. R. M.
Subrahmanya Mocpanar, Mr. S.
Subrahmanya Pillai, Mr. Chavadi K.
Swami, Mr. K. V. R.
Syed Ibrahim Sahib Bahadur, Nattam Dubash Kadir Sahib.
Tajudin Sahib Bahadur, Syed.
Thomas, Mr. Daniel.
Tulasiram, Mr. L. K.
Uppi Sahib Bahadur, K.
Vanavudaiya Goundar, Mr. S. V.
Venkatapathi Raju, Mr. P. C.
Venkatarama Ayyar, Mr. K. R.
Venkatarama Sastri, C.I.E., Mr. T. R.
Venkataramana Ayyangar, Mr. C. V.
Venkatarangam Nayudu, Mr. C.
Venkiah, Mr. S.
Wood, Mr. C. E.
Zamindar of Gollapalli.
Zamindar of Kallikota.
Zamindar of Mirzapuram.
Zamindar of Seithur.

I

NEW MEMBER.

The following new Member was sworn in :—

Mr. R. M. Statham.

II

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

[*Order made by the President of the Madras Legislative Council under Standing Order No.* 15.

1. Starred questions to be put at a meeting of the Council with their answers shall be printed and placed on the Council table an hour before the President takes his seat.

The President will call out the name of each interpellator in the order in which the names are printed, specify the serial number of his question and make a sufficient pause to give him or any other member a reasonable opportunity of rising in his place and putting a supplementary question. Supplementary questions must be put immediately after the principal questions to which they relate.

2. If a member responsible for a starred question happens to be absent when it is called, it will be open either to him or to any other member to put supplementary questions thereon after the other starred questions for the day have been answered, provided question-time is not thereby exceeded.

3. Questions, not starred, will not be called in Council, but they will be printed with their answers and placed on the table of the House along with the list of starred questions. Oral supplementary questions will not be allowed in regard to unstarred questions.]

STARRED QUESTIONS

(708 Q.—Please see page 256 infra.)

Irrigation (Water-rate)

Exclusion of certain lands from the Kistna Eastern Delta ayacut.

*709 Q.—Mr. A. Kaleswara Rao: Will the hon. the Member for Revenue be pleased to state with reference to the answer to question No. 506 answered on 24th March 1927—

(*a*) whether the report called for has come; when and from whom;

(*b*) if so, whether the Government will place it on the table of this House; what are its contents;

(*c*) whether the Government intend to include all those lands in the ayacut; and

(*d*) whether the Government will credit the penal assessments collected on them till now under the inclusion fees due and collect only the balance?